

GOING EAST.
Express trains for Portland will leave Lewiston at 7:10 a. m., 8:55 a. m., 10:35 a. m., and 12:05 p. m.
For South Paris, Norway, Lewiston, Portland and Boston leave Island Pond at 6:45 a. m., Gorham at 8:55 a. m., South Paris at 10:35 a. m., and Norway at 10:20 a. m.
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Since then I have recommended 'Favorite Remedy' to others whom I knew to have suffered from Kidney and Liver Complaints; and I assure the public that the 'Favorite Remedy' has done its work with a similar completeness in every single instance, and I trust some other wicked and diseased mortal may hear of it and try the 'Favorite Remedy' as I did."

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FOR THE OXFORD DEMOCRAT.

NEW YORK LETTER.
NEW YORK, Dec. 4, 1880.

The origin of the "Passion Play" is as follows: In 1633 there was a great pestilence in Germany. The superstitious villagers, thinking to avert the wrath of heaven, promised every ten years to enact the sufferings of Christ on a theatrical stage. The play has been enacted every decade since that date. The boom of a gun woke the villagers at an early hour. At half past seven in the morning the audience assembled at the theatre. The play begins at eight and lasts until evening. There are eighteen acts in that play, commencing with Christ's entry into Jerusalem, and closing with the ascension. Joseph Meyer impersonates Christ, and hangs for twenty minutes upon the cross, suspended by a loop about his waist. Men and women are elaborately trained to take their parts. At one time there are 600 persons on the stage. Joseph Meyer plays his part so well that he is more revered in the village than the Emperor. A witness of the play says that while a sharp and cutting hail fell through the unroofed theatre upon the cheek of Meyer, he did not wince, and no sign of life could be detected when he was playing insensible. The play will probably be never enacted again in Europe, the Pope having denounced it. Public opinion here has become so strong against its production, that Mr. Abby has wisely withdrawn it, although he has already spent \$15,000 in preparing the piece for the stage.

If a spectator had entered Booth's Theatre the other evening at about ten o'clock, with the expectation of seeing Miss Bernhardt in one of her usual stage personations, he would have been struck by the following scene as a highly amusing one. In the rehearsal she complained of feeling cold, and with that quick, practical sense which must be a great aid to her in the exercise of her profession, she called for a cushion, placed it on the floor in front of the footlights, and sat down to warm her back. "Claude, come and see that I don't fall into the fire," she exclaimed, and her faithful valet at once stood up as rear guard behind the footlights, while she extended her hands to two of the actors to hold her and prevent her from falling backward. And there she sat, the actors pulling her playfully, while Claude was ready to save her from the rear. Claude's wife, Felicie, is Bernhardt's maid and "dresser." They have been with her so many years as to become deeply attached to her. Another person, always present at the rehearsals, is Mme. Guerrard, famous in all countries as "mon petit d'ami," the ungrammatical and affectionate title by which Sarah addresses her companion. Mme. Guerrard is a very estimable lady, who watches over the great actress, whom she has known from her twelfth year, with unceasing care, and hardly leaves her out of sight for a single moment.

WASHINGTON LETTER.
WASHINGTON, D. C.,
Dec. 7, 1880.

The Congress that met yesterday, at the close of President Hayes' administration, was in a far different temper from that which met at the close of General Grant's term, four years ago. Then no one knew who the next President would be, and many doubted if there ever would be another President of the United States. Yesterday there was not a man, woman or child in the broad limits of the Union but could tell who would occupy the Presidential office on the fourth of March next. The Republican Senate which met in December 1879, while determined to maintain their rights at the point of the bayonet if necessary, were burdened with the perils, suspense and responsibilities of the situation. The House, with its Democratic majority, were hot, irascible, mistrustful and irritated against the Republican Senate and President that seemed to stand between them and the future fruition of their dearest hopes of a speedy entrance into political power. The scenes of 1861 were re-enacted. Now the situation is regarded by both Senate and House with supreme indifference, and instead of angry looks and loud voices, all is serene as a Summer day. There was the usual large attendance that throngs the Capitol at the opening of each session.

The floor of the House resembled the celebration of a reunion of a family of grown people. Democrats and Republicans mingle together in sweet communion. Men who on the stump had abused each other roundly, strayed amicably into the seclusion of the committee rooms and washed down in friendly libation the unpleasant recollections of the campaign. Others were scattered around in groups explaining their defeat, or election, as the case might be. A few of the newly elected members who will take their seats after March 4, 1881, were watching intently the motions of those whom they will succeed, and forming new acquaintances.

The President's message is a concise, Statesmanlike document that will find warm words of praise from his party, and negative approval from his enemies. If it has been thought that he was cool and indifferent to the Southern situation, the words in which he arraigns the enemies of Constitutional suffrage in the South will undeceive those who misjudged him. He strongly arraigns the dominant party of tissue ballots and false counting, and declares that the people who placed the several amendments to the Constitution will see that they are faithfully executed in the future. As a State paper this message will take high rank with any that have preceded it.

It is only within a few years that Congress has assumed and exercised its legitimate right to exclusive jurisdiction over the affairs of the National seat of government, but within that brief period by liberal and appreciative appropriations, it has redeemed it from being a disgrace and shame to our civilization, to a beautiful, attractive city, worthy of being the Capitol of a great Nation.

People of affluence are investing their money and securing charming homes for their families where taxation is moderate, and sources of comfort and enjoyment are superior to those of any other place upon the American Continent.

LOGAN.

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